Child & Family Resources

afcamp.org: community parent resource center that advocates for children with disabilities and at-risk youth.

birth23.org: programs that support CT families until their child's third birthday if they have concerns about their development.

connectingtocarect.org: learning collaborative to promote and educate members and providers in the Wrap approach to treatment planning. **cpacinc.org/default.aspx:** CPAC is a statewide organization that provides support and information to families that have children with a disability or chronic illness between the age of birth to 26 become the best advocates for their children.

chnct.org: Community Health Network (CHN) is a non-profit managed care organization dedicated to improving medical services and health outcomes for CT's Medicaid members.

ctfsn.org: CT Family Support Network (CTFSN) is a statewide non-profit organization that supports children and families with disabilities by providing resources, emotional support and guidance on an individual level with parents/guardians. 877-376-2329.

empsct.org: information on emergency mobile psychiatric services for youth and families in crisis. Dial 211 to receive emergency mental/behavioral health support with an on-call clinician that can send a crisis intervention support team out to your home to assist in deescalating the situation and to perform an evaluation.

favor-ct.org: focuses on member and family self-advocacy, empowerment and policymaking. Provides information about family peer supports. **health.uconn.edu/adoption-assistance**: UCONN Adoption Assistance Program.

HealthyLivesCT.org: provides information and screening tools (substance use, anxiety, depression) for identifying individuals at risk, and ways to maintain recovery.

kidsmentalhealthinfo.com: includes education for members and providers on common childhood mental health issues, listing of evidence based providers, and other resources.

Plan4Children.org: Comprehensive listing of family resources and community initiatives

preventsuicidect.org: Suicide prevention, health, and wellness principles and interventions

turningpointct.org: Developed by young people, offers support for individuals seeking treatment

211ct.org: United Way website with one-stop connection to local services, including utility assistance, food, housing, child care, after school programs, elder care, crisis intervention and much more To link to the following state agency sites, click on **ct.gov/dss**; **ct.gov/dcf**; **ct.gov/dmhas**; or **ct.gov/dds**.